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QUIVERS-The daughter of E. W. R. Quivers and L. G. Quivers departed this life December 31, 1895, at 6:30 p. m., at the age of three years two months and ten

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Funeral will take place at 2 p.m., Friday, January 3, 1896, at residence, No. 478 School street southwest. The friends of the family are all invited to attect.

Marie thou art gone, and we will see thee no more: thy memory shall always be with us; we will meet thee some day.

COLLINS—On January 1, at 2 p. m., Frances, the only and beloved daughter of John P. and ida Collins, aged five months. Funeral from her parents' residence. No. 74 H street northeast, Friday, at 3 p. m. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.

LATHROP-Notice is hereby given of the death of Edward Lathrop, at Providence Hospital, on Wednesday, January 1, 1896. Relatives or friends will call at K. F. Harvey's Sons, 928 Pa. ave. nw., and make arrangements for his burial within thirty-six hours.

STEPHENS-Mr. William Stephens, one among the oldest residents of Hillsdale, D. C., died at 1:30 a.m., January 2, 1896. Functal Sunday, 5th instant, at 2 o'clock p. m., from Fourth Baptist Church, R street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

TAYLOR—Departed this life on Thursday, January 2, 1896, at 5 o'clock a.m., Catherine C. Taylor, youngest daughter of J. Plukney and Cutherine C. Taylor, aged three years three months and fifteen days.



GUESTS AT WHITE HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild Have Been Visiting There.

Many Elegant Affairs Are Announced for the Delectation of Society in the Near Future.

Charles S. Fairchild, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, and Mrs. Fairchild have been the guests of President and Mrs. Cleveland for several days. Mr. Fairchild returned to New York Wednesday night, but Mrs. Fair-child remained to attend the first state dinner, which was given at the White House last night.

Miss Bryant of New York is the guest of ecretary and Mrs. Lamont.

Mure, de Meck, wife of our of the new secretaries of the Rossian legation, who has created quite an agreeable impression here, has assued cards for a dinner Saturday, Janu-ary 11.

Mrs. Joseph D. Hutcheson, wife of Representative Hutcheson of Texas, has out cards for a tea at the Arington Hotel next Monday, senator and Mrs. Brace will give a dinner the same evening.

Mrs. L. B. Webb, formerly of Bottimore, will entertain at dinner next Thursday. On January 10 Mrs. John B. Robinson, wife of Representative Robinson, of Media, Pa., will give a tea at her residence, No. 1708 Rhode Island avenue.

Secretary and Mrs. Ofney will enter-tain a number of the members of the diplo-matic corps at dinner Saturday. January 18. The same evening the Brazilian min-ister and Mns. Mendenca will dine a num-ber of their friends.

Secretary and Mrs. Carlisle have diener cards out for Thursday, January 23.

paragus vines. Music, cards and recitations were the features of the entertainment, and about midnight an elegant collation was served. Mrs. Farrar received her gassis in black choire and fet. Miss Browne wore black chiffon, draped over saimon colored satio.

Among these present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Mrs. McFails, Capt. and Mrs. Schreiner. Mr. and Mrs. Ainstey of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Alexiner Downing, Mrs. Inraella, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kavanaugh, Mrs. Inraella, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kavanaugh, Mrs. Martin, Ross Downing, Dr. Johnson Elliot, Dr. Morse, Capt. Wiggins and many others.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Andrews will enter-tain the students of the Corcoran School of Art on Thursday, January 9, from 4 to 6 o'clock, assisted by Mr. Robert Buckley, whose wife, formerly Miss O'Donald, was one of the most beautiful belies of Balti-more, and Miss Lillian Cook, the associate instructors of the art school.

Mrs. Washington McLean gave a bincheon yesterday afternoon to twenty-fear ladies. The guesta were at the table less than an hour. This is in accord with the new style of few courses and rapid service.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Barbour gave a arge dinner last night.

The Misses Rose and Katie Clarke of No. 2103 L street northwest did not receive with Miss Hessie Shearman of No. 1928 L street northwest.

The Morton Cadets will give Civit second hop of the season this evening at National Rifles Armory. The affair will be in charge of Capt. Pagar A. Shilling, who will officiate as master of ceremonies, assisted by Messes. J. Paul Channey, F. O. Grayson, George Plugge, Ed. E. Math. G. E. Traibes, A. B. Chyston, Milton O'Conned, D. Hasry Moran, H. R. Sisson, Charles Yeatman, T. Bisndy, C. H. Lyman, E. M. Taylor, L. C. Steward, F. E. Lacy, W. M. Wagner, S. A. Wimsaut and John M. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Peerson have turned from a fortinght's visit to Ma Chunk.

Miss Jessie Payson left yesterday for Montreal, Canada; where she will remain until spring.

Dr. and Mrs. Guzman will give Monday receptions from 9 to 12 during the months of January and February. Br. Guzman was formerly inmister from Nicaragea to this country. In November he resigned his position and exhabilished binaced as a resident physician. Dr. and Mrs. Guzman are



An Evening Costume.

popular both in resident and diplomatic so-ciety, and have decided to make the capital their future home.

The Irving Terry performances at Balti-more next week will draw many of the smart folks of Washington. Sir Julian Pauncefote has engaged a lower box for thu

Pauncefote has engaged a lower box for the seven performances.

M. Patenotre, French ambassadorat Washington, together with Mme. Patenotre and a number of members of the different forcign legations at Washington, will go to Baltimore on Sunday to attend the investure of Cardinal-elect Satoli. On Monday night M. and Mme. Patenotre will be in the party of the British legation occupying one of the boxes to see Henry Irving and Ellen Terry in "The Merchant of Venice."

The Marquis Sacripanti, member of the Noble Guard and special envoy of the pope, has been invited to join Sir Julian Pauncefote and party the same evening.

Mrs. Andrew B. Duvall entertained at Mrs. Andrew B. Duvall entertained at a small tea yesterday afterboon from 4 to 7 to present her second daughter, Miss Mand Duvall. The reception rooms were prettily decorated with Golden Gate roses, likes and palms, which filled the bay-window recess. Miss Louise Duvall, sister of the debutante, and a number of young girl school friends assisted the hostess in extending hospitality. Among the out-of-town guests who came to the city especially for this event were Miss Laura Gault daughter of Mr. William Matthews Gault of Baltimore.

Mrs. Edith Virginia Farrar and Miss Anna Browne, daughter of the late Gen. Tom Browne of Winchester, Ind., were hostesses at a charming reception given last night at their home, No. 1534 I street northwest.

The reception room was beautifully decorated with carnations, evergreens and as-

WE DON'T FAINT NOW.

17 HERE are few melancholy girls now: there is now no time to indulge in it. Who could be morbid after a foursome at olf, or sad when bounds are running and vo

are indeed to be pitied, they are no longer thought "interesting" by reason of their maladies, or, at any rate, it is no longer con-sidered feminine and pretty to "enjoy bad health."

Rev. Hyatt Smith Dismissed.

gon, or sad when hounds are running and you are well up with them, or who could be Byronic on a bicycle? Delicacy and nerves are also out of fashion; sickness and sorrow no doubt are always with us, but though those who suffer

health."

So fainting fits are out of date; not even an ill-tempered girl, or a jealous wife, attempts hysteries nowadays, and consumption rarely carries off the heroine of an Antonym or a Pseudonym or a Zeit-geist novel, or indeed any modern novel, in whatever shape it may be brought out.

Even on the stage the beroines of modern playa do not die by inches, as they were in the habit of doing in pieces written for the last generation. They have now a shorter shrift and a more effective exit.

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Boston, Jan. 3.—A church council held at the North Avenue Congregational Church in Cambridge tonight formally dismissed from the pastorate of that church Rev. Frank Hyatt Smith, who was recently indicated for sending objectionable matter through the mails and subsequently committed to the government insane asylum at Washington.

BREAKFAST.

VERY married man is a hero to WOMAN on a bicycle is an ac

THOUGHTS BY A NEW MAN.

A WOMAN'S club should be strictly a

WOMAN will never succeed in making history by hysterics.

THE hand that rocks the cradle is now

TWO prejudices and an exclamation often serve a woman for a syllogism. UNFORTUNATE is the woman who looks nd her heart and her hearth for hap-

THERE is no hope for a woman when sh becomes a victim of the parliamentary-

A REACTIONARY man remarks that the new movement has produced the "I-deal"

THE writer holds that a man should take pride in his ancestors and a woman in her descendants.

The Back of Her Coat.

If bustles are to be worn women are not If bustles are to be worn women are not going to be stranded with coats that are tight fitting. So hame Fashion thought when she decreed that coats should ripple across the back. Then, as an extra precaution, she put upon her leaders a coat having one or two box plats down the back. Certainly the effect is stylish and chlo. Coats are little trimmed with fur this season. The greater number are made of boucle, which in itself suggests fur, and have straps of fealin cloth sewed over the seams. As

of pain cloth sewed over the seams. Astraithan coats are exceedingly stylish when they have collarettes of the same material.

The stores offer to many bargains in coats that one hesitates about wearing a last



winter's coat. A new coat may be had for \$5 which has a rather good appearance, while an exceedingly stylish coat may be hought for \$9. Such a coat is of brown boucle, with large buttons, and lined through-out with brown will

sure indication of the fact that a coat s this winter's are large metal buttons No cloth buttons at all are worn. The fanciful coat pictured is for dress occasions, and is rather gorgeously gotten up. The main material, sauff brown cloth, is enriched by passementeric of silk cord

and gifttering spangles. Two box plaits of brown veivet furnish the back. The boa worn with this garment needs special mention. It is of fluffy reliew down, into which sprigs of black estrich tips are inserted at regular distances spart. The entire effect is very dashing.

THE BUFFET.

HE rook wood 5 o'clock ten seats are very effective. The colorings are soft and rich, the designs varied, and in addition each little article is partially covered with a tracery of

The souvenir spoon of the Atlanta ex-position would make an admirable Christ-mas gift. Of all the souvenir spoons it is the most typical of the country it represents. The spoon is of gold, with the enameled bowl in exact imitation of half a watermelon. The handle is also en amel, showing a laughing darky's fac-

The latest wine decenter looks like a long-necked bird. It is made of glass. with the bird's beak in gold. It could not be called a thing of beauty, but in its nov-elty lies its charm.

The newest wine glasses are wonder fully beautiful. Some are in colored cut glass. Others hook like an opening tu-lip. The tulip glasses show the colors of the natural flower.

There are two salad forks shown in the shops as holiday noveltles. One is a very expensive affair in gold, wrought with vivid green enamel. Another shows the odd combination of the prong in silver and the long handle in cut giass.

Many new center-pieces have the linen anny new censer-pieces may the men-edge cut in the shape of flowers. One seen recently had a bonder of exquisitely em-broidered scarlet carnations. In addition to the floral edge those center-pieces have an insertion of Honiton or Renaissance lace.

There is very little change to record in table linen, except that the pretty col-ored lunch cloths are no longer in vogue. For one I am sorry. They were much more cheerful to my mind than the small square of linen in the center of a bare oak table nowpreferred. The colored cloths now serve as a cover when the table is not in use. There are very pretty ones, in delft blue and white, and another dainty pattern shown me is in pale pink and silver.

"Do you understand the meaning of the terms capital and labor?" asked the teacher of a small boy.

"Yes'm; if a boy had a sled, that's capital. If another boy rides down with him and then pulls the sled up, that's labor."—Good News.

1895-1896. May all its sorrows be forgot,
Its joys alone survive—
Forgotten be the ills and woes
Of Eighteen Ninety-Five!
Another bubble Time hath blown,
May Happiness affix
Her seal thereto, and smile on all
In Eighteen Ninety-Six!



Bananas. Hot rolls. Coffee.

LUNCHEON. Cold loaf. Salmon salad. Preserves. Tea. DINNER.

Oyster soap.

Boiled fish, with egg sauce.

Lima beans. Celery salud. Lemon padding. Coffee.

Turtle Bean Soup.

SOAK one pine black beans over night, then
put into three quarts water with beef
bones or a small piece of lean salt pork. Boil
four hours, strain, season with salt, pepper,
cloves, and lemon live — ut in a few slices
of lemon and add slices of hard-boiled eggs.
Serve with toward bread cut into dice and
nlaced in uness. placed in tureen.

Potato Soup.

TO one gailon of water add six large po-tatees chopped fine, one teacup rice, lump of butter the size of an egg, one tablespoonful of flour; work butter and flour together, and one teacup of cream or rich milk just before taking from fire. Boil one hour.

Royal Oyster Stew. PUT the liquor from the oysters on the stove, let it boil; skim and season with butter

and pepper; add oysters, and let them come to a boil, only. Seeson with salt and butter and serve.

CUT bread into slices one-quarter inch thick, four inches long and two inches wide, spread it with butter and sprinkle it with salt and cayenne; cover the top with grated American cheese or with grat ed Parmesan cheese, and take in the oven until the cheese is softened. Serve at once, before the cheese hardens.

Barbecued Rabbit. GREASE the rabbit all over with butter, and sprinkle with pepper and
sait. Lay on a graliron turn over often,
and cook done. When done put in a pan
with plenty of butter and set in the oven fifteen minutes. Make sauce of four tablespoonfulsof vinegar, one of mustird, two four rant
jelly, and one teaspoonful of lemon jaice
maxed together. Pour over the rabbit, and
serve.

Roast Goose. PICK, singe and draw a fat young goose, Wipe inside and out with a damp towel. Make stuffing of 1rish potators, boiled and mashed, seasoned with butter, minced onlon, salt and pepper. Fill the body of the goose with it, place in a baking pan, pour a cupful of hot water in the hottom, to which add a tenspoonful of salt, and set in a quick oven. Let roast twenty-five min-utes for every pound, basting every ten minutes. When done, take up, garnish with slices of fried apple and serve with onion sauce. onion sauce.

Graham Bread.

SCALD a pint of sweet milk and pour it into a broad pan, add a small tea-spoonful of butter and a teaspoonful of salt. Let cool, add half a cup of yeast, with suf ficient flour to make a stiff batter. Beat thoroughly, cover, and stand in a warm place over night. In the morning add two tablespoonfuls of molasses and sufficient Graham flour to make a soft dough. Work well, make in loaves, put in well-greased ians, let raise again and bake in a moderate

Puff Paste. ONE and one-fourths pounds of flour, one pound of butter, one tumbler of cold water; take one pound of flour, one-quarter of the pound of butter and water, then roll, spread one-third of the butter remaining; cut in four pieces, put a little flour, pile it up, roll out, and again spread until all the butter and flour is used up.

Coddled Eggs. ONE-FOURTH cup of milk, one-eighth tea-spoonful of salt, one-half teaspoon of butter, one egg. Put milk and well beaten egg in double boiler, stir continually from sides and bottom of boiler; when thick take off the fire, stir in the butter, salt and pepper. Serve on hot teast. This is enough for three persons.

Spiced Oysters. Spiced Cysters.

TAKE 100 cysters, one-half glass sherry wine, one-half glass of yinegar, pepper and one tablespoon whole alspice; put the liquor on to boll, skim it, put it in the cysters, let them boil up twice, take out the cysters; then let the liquor stand for a few minutes, then pour it off carefully over the cysters.

Things Worth Noting. IN buying provisions it is important to remember that good beef is always bought

member that good beef is always bought red and the fat a fresh-looking white, while good mutton is always dark.

Boiled beef decreases one-fourth in weight; mutton even more. Young tender chickens may be detected by their smooth legs, and gese and ducks should have their feet and bills a bright yellow color.

Fresh fish is always stiff in the body, clear red in the gills, bright in the eyes and covered with scales. It should not be kept over night.

night.

Lobsters should be chosen by the weight, the male being heavier and better to boil, and the female lighter and preferable for Vegetables should always look firm and not flabby, and lettuce must be especially

SERMONETTES.

OW many friends would we have if we were suddenly to become poverty stricken?

DO you like the candid person SOME person who has been studying the art of being contented came to this philosophic conclusion: A rule conductve to contentment is, if you wish to have what you want, never want what you can't

DON'T appear anxious or be bustling or fussy about a sick person. Keep stale flowers and an accumulation of medicine

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One lot of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats—all col ors—all shapes. But one to a purchaser..... \$2 and \$1.75 Prench Felt Hats, 48c. One Table of the Best Quality French Felt Hats for Ladies, Misses and Chil-dren—all shapes—all colors. But one to a purchaser.....

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AR. All Ladies' and Children's I ao and All-wool Ribbed Underwear will be sold at 3313 Off Marked Prices.

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\$6.75.

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\$15, \$12 and \$10 Jackets, \$7.50

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Today \$9.60.

full sweep, satin lined, sold at \$14. Today \$8.40. One lot Short Shoulder Fur Capes, made of astrakhan

One lot Plate Astrakhan Capes, 30 inches long, with

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out of the patient's sight. Never use a lighted lamp or gas in a sick room, but candles or tapers. The former impover-ish the air greatly. A sick room should

TRUE politeness is perfect ease and freedom. It simply consists in treating others as you love to be treated your-self.—Chesterfield.

not have a temperature much above 60 de-grees. Don't jar the bed by sitting upon

IT is by studying little things that we attain the great art of having as little misery and as much happiness as possible.—Johnson. PROBABLY a woman would be a bride

to her husband longer if she would con-tinue making company of him. Most wo-men begin to save their jam for visitors when they have been married three months. HURGLARS are more afraid of a wo-man's shrick than anything else. Remem-ber that, ladies, and the next time the house is robbed, squeal.

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Fresh Laid Eggs.

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willingness to bear unpleasant happen-ings patiently. The newish woman's study has not been in vain.

She Knows What She Wants.

A Zurich, Switzerland, daily contains the following advertisement: "A young and pretty lady, graduate of the academy, able to support a husband, desires to make the acquaintance of a man (total abstainer) not under twenty years of age. He must love children, have a thorough knowlmust love children, have a thorough knowledge of housekeeping, and be of modest, gentle disposition; come means desirable. Serious offers, accompanied by photograph and testimonials as to character, to be sent to M. S., Hottingen," And, what is sadder all!! Iron sadder still from a masculine standpoint, the advertiser received stacks of answers.

See "The Russian Honeymoon" at Met-zerott's Hall Saturday evening, January 4, by Vassar Students.



